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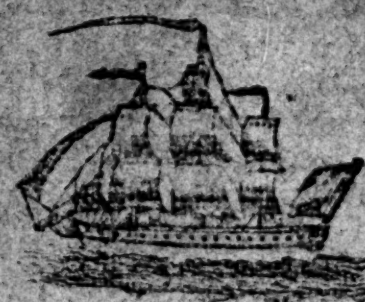
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# Commercial & Political.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1809.

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## Sales at Vendue.

On every Tuesday and Friday,  
WILLIAM LADD  
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and  
Water streets.

A Variety of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.  
Particulars of which will be expressed in  
the bills of the day. All kinds of goods  
which are on hand and the prices of  
which are established, can at any time be  
viewed and purchased at the lowest fluctuation  
and prices.

P. G. Manstetter, V. M.

## HANDSOME TEETH,

The greatest personal ornament of the human  
physiognomy.

R. C. SEINER, Surgeon Dentist of  
New York, respectfully informs the citizens  
of Alexandria, that having concerns that re-  
quire his continuance at the seat of govern-  
ment 7 or 8 days, proposes to attend to his  
practical business in this city until the 18th  
inst. Those ladies and gentlemen who have  
unfortunately lost their Front Teeth, have  
thereby lost a very superior style, war-  
ranted to retain a perfect natural colour, not  
distinguishable by strict examination from  
those of the natural growth, and in most cases  
without the least pain. Those persons like-  
wise whose teeth are partially decayed, or are  
enrusted with that disgusting, desecrat-  
ing substance the Tartar, may have the de-  
cay arrested and the Tartar judiciously re-  
moved, and the teeth thereby preserved dur-  
ing life. Therefore, if a regular apprentice-  
ship and long stay in the city of London im-  
proved by 20 years extensive practice in New  
York, and aided by the recommendations of  
the most exalted characters in that state, can  
entitle him to confidence, he will be sure to  
receive, and endeavor justly to merit the pa-  
tronage he may be honored with. Dr. Seiner  
may be consulted any hour at Mr. Mil-  
bourne's sign of the Golden Ball, Union-street.  
Ladies will be attended at their own houses if  
desired.  
March 9. dlt

## Cotton and Stewart

Have just published their  
ALMANAC for 1809.  
Containing a great deal of useful and enter-  
taining matter. For sale by the thousand,  
gross, or single one.  
October 6.

## Joseph Mandeville,

CORNER OF KING AND FAIRFAX STREETS,  
Has Received,  
100 half boxes Roulet's CI-  
GARS, warranted of the very best quality  
and full contents.  
Real Macouba Snuff,  
Roulet's Coarse and Fine,  
20 boxes fresh MUSTARD,  
20 Philadelphia CHOCOLATE, 15  
and 24 quality.

—HE HAS ALSO,

A General Assortment as usual,  
of good WINES, LIQUORS, and GROC-  
ERIES, for sale  
December 21.

## Just Published,

BY COTTON AND STEWART,  
And for sale at their Store,  
(Price One Dollar)  
The Exile of Erin.  
A NOVEL.  
By Mrs. P. — late Miss Gunning.  
Volume 6.

## Just Published,

For sale at the Subscribers Book Store,  
THE LAWYER;  
OR,  
Man as he ought not to be.  
Really bound in boards, and lettered—price  
one dollar.

## ALMANAC'S

For the year 1809, by the gross, dozen, or  
single one.

## Just Received,

A large supply of PLAYING CARDS &  
WRAPPING PAPER.  
Dr. Ree's Cyclopaedia,  
No. 16, is received, and No. 17, is expected  
in a few days.  
Subscribers are earnestly requested to send  
their copies, especially those who have  
ordered but a few numbers: 'tis much easier  
to pay for one or two numbers at a time, than  
for ten or fifteen.

ROBERT GRAY.

## NOTICE.

The subscriber informs the public, that he  
manufactures and has for sale, at his manu-  
factory corner of Prince and Fairfax streets,  
STILLS of all sizes, commonly used for  
distilling grain or fruit.

A general assortment of TIN WARE  
SHEET-IRON STOVES and STOVE  
PIPES, made at the shortest notice.

Every kind of PLUMMING WORK ei-  
ther for Ships or Buildings, done in the best  
manner.

THE BRASS FOUNDRY BUSINESS  
in all its branches is carried on under the di-  
rection of Mr. WILLIAM FLETCHER,  
who has had many years experience, and as a  
workman is exceeded by few — as the Brass  
foundry business is a partnership, application  
must be made to William Fletcher, who will  
undertake to make GRATES handsomely  
ornamented with Brass, agreeable to any pat-  
tern or price, and will execute the work in the  
very best and neatest manner and on the most  
reasonable terms.

The highest price given for Old Copper,  
Brass, Pewter, Lead and Iron.

George M. Munn.

October 23.

For Sale at R. G. M. Y's Book-Store, King  
Street;

THE POWER OF RELIGION,  
On the mind in retirement, affliction and at  
the approach of death.

Exemplified in the testimonies and experi-  
ence of persons, distinguished by their great-  
ness, learning or virtue.

" 'Tis Immortality — 'tis that alone  
" Amidst life's pains, abasements, empti-  
ness,  
" The Soul can comfort, elevate and fill."  
YOUNG.

By LINDLEY MURRAY.

From the thirteenth English edition, enlarg-  
ed and improved by the Author.  
Price handsomely bound and lettered, 1 dollar.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ABOVE WORK.  
" We have had frequent occasion to speak  
of the diligence, good sense, and good inten-  
tions, of Mr. Murray; and we congratulate  
him sincerely on the success of this particular  
work. We announce this edition, because the  
alterations and additions are so considerable,  
that it is rendered almost a new work."  
British Critic, July 1801.

" The examples which Mr. Murray has here  
selected, and the judicious reflections which  
accompany them, are such as can scarcely fail  
to make the best impressions, and to produce  
the best effects, on all who read them with at-  
tention. The present edition of this excel-  
lent publication, which has been long known  
and commended, is enlarged by the addition  
of twenty-two new characters, filling nearly  
one hundred pages."  
Anti-Jacobin Review, Jan. 1804.

" We have received the tenth and last edi-  
tion of this valuable work. The improve-  
ments made in it, will appear from the author's  
advertisement. We can only add to this ac-  
count of the present useful volume, our hope  
that it will be extensively circulated among  
our countrymen."  
The American Review & Literary Journal,  
for July, August & September, 1801.

" On reviewing this book, in its improved  
form, we find the facts unquestionable and  
highly interesting — the style correct and neat  
— and the general tendency of the work such  
as induces us strongly to recommend it, espe-  
cially to young readers, who love entertain-  
ment mingled with instruction."  
Evangelical Magazine, Oct. 1801.

" The rapid sale of this small but valuable  
collection, has anticipated the commendation  
we are desirous to bestow. In an exempli-  
fication of more than seventy remarkable char-  
acters, many striking examples are exhibited  
which, in the quiet hour of reflection, man  
contemplates to arrest the careless and wander-  
ing; to animate the sincere and virtuous; and  
to convince or discontinue those who have  
been unhappily led to oppose the highest  
truths." Gentleman's Magazine, Nov. 1803.

Cobbett's Grammar of Geography.  
Pictorial Arithmetic, large and small.  
Hymns and Spiritual Songs.  
School Bibles and Testaments, Spelling-  
Book, Primers, Bonnet-Boards Writing-  
Paper.

The 17th number Dr. Ree's new Cyclope-  
dia.  
October 23.

## FOR SALE,

A quantity of nice well cured BACON.  
Apply to

Jacob Heineman,

West End.

March 14.

Carpenters, Laborers and Timber

WANTED at the Washington bridge  
Enquire of Mr. Mills or Mr. Not-  
tage at the bridge.

March 13.

Wanted to Hire, by the Year,

A MAN SERVANT.

Accustomed to house work — a WOMAN  
that can wash and iron, and a GIRL capable  
of nursing a child — to reside in the country.

Enquire of the Printer.

March 13.

The Public are hereby  
informed that the subscriber and his son Doc-  
tor Archibald D. Dick, are henceforward con-  
ducting in the exercise of their profession —  
Applications intended for either, to be made  
at the Medicine Shop of the former.

Elifha C. Dick.

February 27.

Notice is hereby given.

To the Stockholders of the Washington Bridge  
Company,

That the fourth instalment of Ten Dollars  
on each share, is called for, which must be  
paid on or before the 20th instant, agreeably  
to the act of Congress, entitled " An act au-  
thorizing the erection of a bridge over the river  
Potomac, within the district of Colum-  
bia."

By order of the Directors.

Daniel Carroll, of Dud'n.

PRESIDENT.

March 8 — 10.

## TUITION.

THE Subscriber informs the Ladies and  
Gentlemen of Alexandria and its vicinity,  
that he has opened SCHOOL in the com-  
modious room on King street, opposite the  
Indian Queen Tavern, (formerly occupied as  
a school room by Mr. Fisher), where he will  
teach Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Book-  
keeping, Mensuration and Navigation on mo-  
derate terms, flattering himself that by assid-  
uous attention to the improvement of his  
Pupils, he may merit a share of public patro-  
nage.

Abraham Walker.

March 10.

BRICK & STONE LAYERS.

B. Hill & J. Ball

INFORM the citizens of Alexandria and  
its vicinity that they have commenced the  
above business, and from their practical  
knowledge hope to meet with a share of pa-  
tronage from a generous public. They pledge  
themselves to execute such orders as they  
may be favored with in a satisfactory manner.  
They will furnish materials measured in the  
wall, or lay them by the thousand, a may  
suit their employers. Where they are re-  
quested to furnish materials they will be of  
the first quality.

February 17.

WASHINGTON TAVERN,

LEESBURG.

THE subscriber has returned to the Wash-  
ington Tavern, LEESBURG, where he is  
prepared with every thing necessary for the  
accommodation of those gentlemen and ladies  
who may honor him with their custom.

Having laid in a good stock of liquors, hay  
and oats, and having enlarged his stables, and  
engaged a careful, attentive and honest host-  
ler, he flatters himself that, by his unremit-  
ted attention, together with the diligence,  
care, and activity of his servants, he will be  
able to render his customers the most perfect  
satisfaction in his line.

A. B. The house is in much better con-  
dition than formerly, for the accommodation  
of travellers.

James Dawson.

Leesburg, Virginia Jan. 1 — 3

Greening Apples, Cran-  
berries, Potatoes, and Cider in  
barrels,

FOR SALE BY

John G. Ladd.

## For Gottenburg,

The substantial and fast-sailing  
Ship CENTURY,

O. P. Finley, master.

Will commence loading next week, the prin-  
cipal part of her cargo being already engaged.  
For freight of 100 hogsheads tobacco and a  
few tierces of rice. Apply on board, or to

Phineas Janney.

33 mo. 11th.

For Norfolk,

The Sloop

BLUE HILL.

Will sail on Wednesday next  
and is ready to take a freight. Apply to the  
Master on board lying at the north side of  
Harper's wharf, or to

George Slacum.

March 11.

For Sale, Freight or Charter,

The BRIG

BETSEY,

101 tons burthen, will carry ab-  
out 250 barrels of flour, is in complete or-  
der to receive a cargo. Apply to

Elifha Janney, or

Phineas Janney

33 mo. 8th.

For Freight or Charter,

THE SHIP

WILLIAM AND JOHN,

Thomas Woodhouse, Master;  
Burthen, 247 Tons.

AND

SHIP

GEORGE;

PETER WALKER, mast.

Burthen 230 Tons.

Both ships sail well, and are in order to re-  
ceive a cargo, for terms apply on board, or to

James Patton.

WHO HAS FOR SALE,

100 barrels N. York Prime Beef & Pork,  
Earthen Ware in order.

Malaga Wine in quarter casks.  
Whiting in hogsheads.

March 7.

## FOR SALE,

One half of the ship  
THOMIRIS,

Burthen 240 tons, or 300 hogs-  
heads tobacco.

One third of the ship

COMMERCE.

Burthen 217 tons, or 300 hogs-  
heads tobacco.

1000 bushels of SALT, on board the ship

Commerce.

25 shares Potomac Bank Stock.

25 do Marine Insurance Stock

If the vessels are not sold at private sale  
before the 15th, they will be sold at auction  
at 12 o'clock, on that day, at Irwin's wharf.

The terms will be liberal, and made known  
at the sale.

James Keith, jun.

Phineas Janney.

March 8.

## FOR FREIGHT,

The substantial and fast-sailing  
SHIP  
AURORA,

Isaac Rand, Master.

Burthen 330 hogsheads of tobacco, or 2500  
barrels of flour — is in complete order, ready  
to receive a cargo and proceed to sea as soon  
as permission can be obtained, having her  
crew on board. Apply to

Lawson and Fowle,

Who have for sale, also:  
2000 bushels coarse salt, suitable for the  
fisheries. Also, just landed,

75 tierces fresh Rice,  
200 boxes 1/2 candel, do.  
50 do. sperm candles do.  
50 do. fresh Muscatel Raisins,  
100 reams Wrapping Paper,  
50 do Writing do.  
100 boxes No 1 and 3 Chocolate,  
10 do Windsor Soap,  
6 casks Sperm Oil,  
50 casks Malaga Wine,  
100 bolts Ravens Duck.

1 bale Hops,  
Holland Gin, Coffee, Peef Boston Hay  
Mackarel, Shad, Table fi b, 4000 sides Sole  
leather, 10 packages m. & w. coats  
and fine shoes, 50 casks Coffee and Sugar,  
logshead Nails, 50 Gin Cases, 200 casks  
Lime

March 2



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**SEDUCTION.**

On one parent stalk, two white roses were  
growing,  
From buds just unfolded, and lovely to  
view!  
Together they bloom'd, with the same sun-  
beam glowing,  
And anointed at night by the same balmy  
dew.

A spoiler heheld the fair twins, and unspar-  
ing  
Tore one from the stem, like a gay victim  
drest,  
Then left its companion—his prize proud-  
ly bearing,  
To blush for an hour, ere it died on his  
breast.

But, ah, for the widow'd one—shrivell'd and  
yellow,  
Its sleek silver leaves lost their delicate hue;  
It sicken'd in thought—pined to death for its  
fellow,  
Rejected the sun beam, and shrunk from  
the dew.

Then where, ruthless spoiler! ah, where is  
thy glory?  
Two flowers strewn in dust, that might  
sweetly have bloom'd,  
A tomb is the record which tells thy proud  
story,  
Where beauty and love are untimely con-  
sum'd.

**COPY OF A PAMPHLET**

PUBLISHED AT THE OFFICE OF THE  
**BOSTON CENTINEL.**

**SUPPRESSED DOCUMENTS.**

The following documents from Mr. Mad-  
ison to Mr. Armstrong, proves that our  
government were resolved to give up all  
claims for the unjust decrees of France, so  
far as they operated on land: that Mr.  
Madison chose to overlook captures in  
the West Indies, stated in his own letter  
of May 22d, 1807: that though Bona-  
parte had expressly avowed nine months  
that his original plan was to extend the  
decree of Berlin to American commerce,  
Madison chose to consider the original  
plan confined to seizures in port; and that  
all we wished was that France should so  
modify her decrees, to cut us off from all  
trade with the continent, provided they  
would permit us to navigate the ocean.  
This hint is said at last to have reached  
the Imperial ear, and that he has consent-  
ed to modify, not his Berlin decree, but  
the decree of Milan, which rendered a  
forcible boarding by a British cruiser  
cause of condemnation—Generous prince!  
Thy bounty is equal to thy moderation!  
No doubt Mr. Madison will thank the  
emperor for this favor, and as before, de-  
fend the Berlin decree as a just and law-  
ful measure.

For the emperor's understanding of his Ber-  
lin decree, and its original plan, see Arm-  
strong's letter published in the documents  
page 20, in which he says "that the ap-  
plication of that decree to us was the re-  
sult of the general expressions of the ar-  
ticle," and that the Emperor's decisions,  
that it should apply to us, was the decla-  
ration of an anterior and positive disposi-  
tion.

Extract of a letter from Mr. Madison to  
Mr. Armstrong.

MAY 2, 1808.

[To follow the paragraph ending with the  
words "will be immediately taken."]

"THE repeal of her decrees is the more  
to be expected, above all, if Great Britain  
should repeal, or be likely to repeal hers, as  
the plan of the original decree at Berlin did  
not extend to a violation of the freedom of  
the seas, and was restricted to a municipal  
operation for nearly an entire year, not-  
withstanding the illegal British order of  
January, 1807, and as a return of France  
to that restricted scope of her plan, would  
so immaterially diminish its operation a-  
gainst the British commerce; that operation  
being so completely in the power of France  
on land, and so little in her power on the  
high seas. But although we cannot, of  
right, demand of France more than a re-  
peal of so much of her decrees as violate  
the freedom of the seas, and a great point  
will be gained by a repeal of that part of  
them, yet as it may not have the effect of

inducing a repeal of the whole illegal sys-  
tem of the British government, which may  
seek pretexts, to plead a necessity for coun-  
teracting the unprecedented and formidable  
mode of warfare practised against her—it  
will be desirable that as little room as possi-  
ble should be left, for this remaining danger  
to the tranquil enjoyment of our commer-  
cial rights."

The following frank and open letter from  
Armstrong to Pinkney proves that all  
hopes of operating on France, either  
through her justice or wisdom, were  
wholly vain, and worse than vain, mis-  
chievous.

He adds, that France has become convinc-  
ed, "that words, and words only are the  
weapons we can employ."

This is too severe from a friend—"And you  
Brutus—then die Caesar." Have the fe-  
deralists been unjust in ascribing this  
pompous boasting character to the gov-  
ernment, when its own officers dare  
tell it so? Yet this officer still holds his  
place.

Extract of a letter from Mr. Armstrong to  
Mr. Pinkney.

PARIS, 26th June, 1808.

"The St. Michael arrived at L'Orient,  
on the first inst. and the government mes-  
senger at Paris on the 8th; a passport for  
the vessel to Falmouth, thence to L'Orient  
again, was immediately requested, but one  
in the form could not be granted but by or-  
der of the Emperor, and this was not given  
till the 18th; these circumstances will ac-  
count for the long detention of your dis-  
patches. We have reason to regret that the  
views of our government, founded on the  
justice and wisdom of the belligerent pow-  
ers, are so little likely to succeed. Attempts  
of this character made here (and they have  
not been unfrequent) have hitherto done no  
good. Nay, the repetition of these may be  
fairly presumed have done mischief, inas-  
much as it has tended to establish a creed,  
that words in some form or other, are the  
only means we have to employ. The French  
council of prizes, which is (I am told) as  
like the English court of admiralty, as one  
egg is like an other, has lately begun a ca-  
reer of condemnation. Between the 1st and  
15th inst. five cases have been decided, and  
I am assured that orders have been received  
from Bayonne, for condemning all Ameri-  
can cases en bloc [in-mass.] What has sus-  
pended the axe since the 15th, we can  
but conjecture. It may be presumed that  
the reflections of the Spanish Junta, on the  
political and other relations, subsisting be-  
tween Spain and the United States, through  
the medium of the colonies, may have pro-  
duced the pause. That it is not owing to  
any conquest which good principles have  
obtained over bad ones, is certain. Are  
things any better your side the channel?"

[To be continued.]

**FOREIGN.**

LONDON, December 24.

We this day lay before our readers, the  
documents with which Mr. Jefferson's Ad-  
dress to the American Senate and House  
of Representatives was accompanied—  
namely, the correspondence between Mes-  
sieurs Canning and Pinkney. A dispa-  
sionate perusal of these letters, in spite of  
Mr. Jefferson's dissertation, we think will  
hardly fail to leave an impression on the  
mind of the Americans themselves, very  
different from the effect expected from the  
President's comment. The British Orders  
in Council was not levelled at America, but  
a just and necessary act of retaliation, call-  
ed for by the previous decree of our ene-  
my, and necessary to our own safety. We  
admit that America, as an Independent  
State, has a right to enact whatever regu-  
lations may be deemed necessary for her  
own safety; that she is not even bound to  
assign to any power a reason for laying an  
embargo on the trade of her own subjects;  
but America has no right to hunt for pre-  
texts to justify her conduct, in the proceed-  
ings of another power called for by the ag-  
gressions of a third party; nor does Amer-  
ica act with justice when she admits the  
ships of war of that aggressor to refresh in  
her harbors, and at the same time excludes  
those of the most injured party.

There is something so powerful and com-  
manding in the dictates of Justice, that she  
will cause her voice to be heard sooner or  
later, even by such as, from interest, have  
endeavored to turn a deaf ear to her dictates.  
A man may wish not to hear the trumpet  
sounded at his ear, but he must hear it,  
whether he obey its summons or not.

Our readers will see by the proceedings of  
Congress, that they have taken up the sub-  
ject of the Embargo with a promptitude  
which seems to indicate a determination to  
probe to the bottom the measure, and the  
motive and relations which produced it.

In the common course of proceedings the  
President's Message should have been first  
discussed; but instead of this, a motion is  
made and carried, almost unanimously, for  
an early discussion of the Embargo Act.—  
The result, which was not known when the  
packet sailed, may be expected by the first  
arrival from America. We shall not anti-  
cipate the decision: but in spite of the un-  
changed bias of Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Mad-  
ison, and their friends, we cannot but con-  
sider the proceedings that have taken place as  
indicative of a wish on the part of the ma-  
jority to give the measure an impartial in-  
vestigation.

**THE ARMY.**

It is said that that excellent officer, Sir  
Arthur Wellesley, goes out in command  
of all the reinforcements going to Spain.  
With him go—

Major General Spencer, Murray, Fer-  
guson, Payne, Cotton, Dyot, Thelwies.

Brigadier Gen. Elwes, Dorrion, Duff.  
There will shortly be an English army in  
Spain, to conquer for the Spaniards, even  
if they will not fight for themselves. Sir  
John Moore has very urgently pressed go-  
vernment to expedite the return of the Gen-  
Officers attached to the army under his  
command now in this country; and several  
of them, among whom is Sir Arthur Wel-  
lesley, are making preparations to proceed  
to Spain immediately.

Besides the Spanish papers which have  
arrived, we received this morning the Co-  
runna Diary, of the 14th December. It  
contains not a word of news either foreign  
or domestic; its contents consist only of a  
long elegy in honor of the gallant Don Fran-  
cisco Reguini, major-gen. in the Spanish  
army, who being severely wounded in one  
of the battles in Biscay, died as he was con-  
veying to Corunna on board a Spanish frigate.  
There is also a few voluntary contri-  
butions.

Reinforcements, to the amount of about  
ten thousand men are forthwith to embark.  
The troops selected for this purpose are, as  
we understand, the brigade of guards from  
Chatham, and the 87th and 89th regiments.  
This detachment will immediately embark  
at Ramsgate. Major-general Spencer is to  
command these troops, having under him  
major-general Tilson and brigadier-general  
Campbell. In Ireland, the royal dragoons  
and the 2d battalion of the 33d are said to  
be actually on their march to Cork, where  
they are to embark without delay.

We can assure the public that there is not  
the least foundation for the assertion made  
by a morning paper of yesterday, that it  
was the intention of Lord Malgrave to re-  
sign the office of first lord of the admiralty  
previous to the meeting of Parliament.

The Spaniards have a corps of six thou-  
sand men, under general Bellesuas, which  
defends the pass at Columbus, in Asturias,  
and should the enemy advance, near 120,000  
peasants are ready to assemble and act a-  
gainst them. They are continually taking  
prisoners by attacking foraging parties of  
the French in the Montagna, where the  
enemy, according to all accounts, are in  
great distress for provisions.

American trade.—The following letters,  
brought from France by the Union, Ameri-  
can ship, serve to shew the treatment now  
experienced by the trade of the U. S. from  
the enemy:

Extract of a letter from captain Nicholas

Owings, of the American brig President,  
from the Canary islands, dated St. Valery,  
Nov. 28.

"It is with the greatest regret I inform  
you of my being captured, on the 17th inst.  
close under the isle of Wight, and sent into  
this place. I have ever since been under a  
guard in an inn, and am not allowed to go  
out of my room without some person to  
guard me, a thing which has never before  
been known to have been done in France.  
I impute it to there not being any neutral  
vessels brought in here."

Copy of a letter from the captain of the  
Mary.

"BOULOGNE CASTLE, Dec. 1, 1808.

"I have the misfortune to acquaint you,  
that the brig Mary, of Philadelphia, under  
my command, was captured on the 19th ult.  
by the French lugger privateer Grand  
Napoleon, of this port, and carried in here.  
The Mary was captured between the port  
and the English shore. The cargo, consist-  
ing of 192 tons of sweet oil, has already  
been discharged, and I am, as well as my  
crew, kept as yet in prison, though I have  
reason to suppose we shall soon be released.  
I have not been able to ascertain the mo-  
tives of this government for capturing A-  
merican property, and detaining the citi-  
zens of the U. S. as prisoners; but time  
and patience will unfold them, and afford  
us redress."

**FROM THE DUTCH PAPERS.**

We, Louis NARON, by the grace of  
God, and constitution of the Kingdom  
King of Holland, and Constable of France,  
have decreed, and hereby do decree:—  
Art. 1. The ports of Holland shall remain  
shut, and no vessel shall be permitted to en-  
ter this kingdom, nor to land any merchan-  
dize.

2. Vessels that may have touched at any  
port in England, or any enemy's port, shall  
be found to have been carrying on any  
prohibited commerce, or intercourse, or to  
have brought in therefrom merchandize,  
letters or passengers; and also such as shall  
have taken on board, at sea, and brought in  
merchandize, letters or passengers shall not  
be warned off, but shall be detained and  
confiscated.

3. The master and crew of all vessels that  
shall be known to have put into England, or  
any enemy's port, and there to have taken  
on board merchandize, letters or passen-  
gers; and also to those who shall have taken  
in at sea, merchandize, letters or passen-  
gers, shall without any distinction, be put  
on board any one of our ships of war, to  
serve therein as common sailors.

4. Should any vessel sailing under allied  
or neutral flags, laden with neutral goods  
and coming from a neutral port, be strand-  
ed upon our coast, or through extreme dis-  
tress be compelled to enter this kingdom,  
and being disabled from again putting to  
sea, the cargoes of all such vessels shall be  
deposited in the royal ware-house, to be re-  
shipped after they are repaired, or, in case  
of a repair being impracticable, to be there  
kept in safe custody, until after the peace.

5. In cases where the said cargoes, or a  
part thereof, shall be found to be damaged,  
we shall grant permission to dispose of the  
same by public sale, and the produce shall  
be deposited in the royal treasury until af-  
ter the peace.

6. The regulations enacted by articles 2  
and three, are also applicable to fishing boats  
and other small vessels, of whatever deno-  
mination and likewise to the skippers, cap-  
tains, masters and crews of such vessels that  
shall be found to have carried on any prohi-  
bited commerce, or intercourse, and to have  
brought in, or to have been aiding or abet-  
ing in bringing in merchandize, letters or  
passengers.

7. From the restrictions imposed by art.  
1, are nevertheless excepted vessels laden  
with tea and other Chinese produce, which,  
previous to our decree of blockade, may  
have obtained a license from us to proceed  
for a Chinese cargo. Such produce shall  
be lodged in the Royal Ware-houses, and  
shall not be disposed of, nor the proceeds of  
any sale paid over to the owners, without  
our special order.

8. Vessels laden with salt, and which  
shall not have brought in any other article  
of merchandize, nor any letters or passen-  
gers, are not included in the above regu-  
lations. Nevertheless, if found to have con-  
travened the dispositions of articles 2 and 3  
the same shall be applicable to them also,  
without excepting therefrom even the salt,  
which shall likewise be confiscated.

9. Marshals De Winter and Dumonceau  
and general Cartaret, are each in the dis-  
trict assigned to them by our decree of the  
13th of October last, charged with, and  
made responsible for providing that no ves-  
sel arriving, shall be suffered to proceed to  
sea again, but that she shall be effectually  
secured until they have been apprised of  
our further pleasure, which shall be made  
known to them by our minister of Finance,  
with which minister they shall correspond  
on this subject, and who shall apply to us,  
and wait for our order, in the case of each  
vessel, in manner before decreed.

10. Our Ministers, of Finance, Justice  
and Police, are charged with the execution  
of the present decree, of which notice shall  
be given to Ministers of Marine and Colo-  
nies, and of War, and which shall be pub-  
lished.

Given at our Royal Palace in Amster-  
dam, the 27th of Nov. 1808, and  
third of our reign.  
(Signed)

LOUIS.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 29.

The following decision was this day given  
en by his majesty:

"Every vessel, armed or unarmed, even  
though provided with letters of marque, be  
considered as a merchant vessel, and as  
such, be subject to the laws of blockade."  
"LOUIS."

On the 21st his majesty issued a decree,  
reducing the forced loan, agreed to by the  
legislative body on the 30th of March last,  
from 30 to 20 millions of guilders. The  
deficit of ten millions for the service of the  
year 1808, and also ten millions for that of  
1809, are to be supplied by a voluntary  
loan, to be completely repaid in eighteen  
years.

STOCKHOLM, Dec.  
The report was of the  
and was dispatched from  
Vikings. Your maj-  
command has since re-  
land Ypperi, where the  
attack on our rear,  
near Merijarvi, advance  
to take the army in  
compelled the army to  
and took, on the 17  
Sveaborg. Ruvola  
occupied by our troops  
of the enemy's corps  
of 20,000 men, fur-  
of heavy ordnance, a  
army having been reduc-  
in the field and sick  
possible to maintain our  
light it again advisable  
for an armistice, the  
the convention which  
doctor to lay at your Ma-  
C. N. CLE  
in chief of the  
ish army.  
Nov. 24, 1808

CONVENTION  
between the royal Swedish  
army, and the Imperial  
Army of the powers  
assigned, have agreed  
the following articles:  
1. The royal Swedish ar-  
after the ratification of  
the Convention along  
the district of Uleaborg, from  
Kemijoki, in const-  
of the hands of the Russian  
2. The Swedish army is  
of Uleaborg within ten  
the date of this con-  
Russian troops are to take  
town on the 30th N-  
of the country, which  
up to the Russians, sh-  
according to the agree-  
ment between the two

3. The rear of the Swe-  
dish army cannot be re-  
moved from its retreat, sh-  
a good and lawful prize.

4. The Swedish army bi-  
destroy, nor distribute  
prizes, nor sell, the mag-  
shall be necessitated to sur-  
5. The Swedish troops  
from them from Uleaborg,  
the surrendered, any civi-  
articles or goods belonging  
to them.

6. The Swedish army is  
clergymen, civil officers, at  
the places evacuated by the  
which it be done by the de-  
scent of the said persons  
7. This Convention shall  
the respective generals in  
matters, and the ratifications  
be exchanged tomorrow night.

Oljocki, 7 (19) Nov.  
Baron ALDERCUL  
Count KAMINSKI  
Ratified the 8 (20) N.v.  
Count BUXHOW  
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Proposed additional arti-  
cled concluded bet-  
Swedish army, in Nov-  
the Imperial Russian army  
Art. 1. The armistice  
between the two armies is to  
month next ensuing the de-  
Swedish army crosses the  
district of Uleaborg, or  
January 1809, and notice  
of the armistice shall be  
days before hostilities are  
2. During the armistice  
Russian troops are not to

C. N. CLE  
of Infan-  
chief of  
army in  
Head Quarters, Limago,  
December 20, 1809.

GENERAL,  
I have the honor to in-  
convention, which was  
and has been ratified by  
Count Botemkin, in order  
of the ratification may  
armistice in question. I  
command to acquai-  
armistice, yet he engag-  
nor that he will not re-  
operations against the Sw-  
the expiration of 24 day  
army shall have taken up



PERS. grace of kingdom. decree. remain. to en- merchan- shed at any port, that ing-on any arse, or to rchandise, ch as shall brought in shall not gained and essels that ngland, or ave taken or passen- have tak- or passen- n, be put of war, to under alli- tral goods be strands- reme dis- kingdom, putting to shall be to be re- in case be there peace. es, or a damaged, se of the ore shall until af- articles 2 ng boats ng deno- ers, cap- ssels that y probi- to have or abut- tters or by art. ls laden which, e, may proceed shall es, and ceeds of without which article passen- regula- ve con- 2 and 3 m also, he salt, nanceau the dis- of the h, and no ves- ceed to actually ised of male inance, espand tous, ot each Justice cution e shall Colo- e pub- mster- 3, and 115. 29. g gir- even be and as- de- S. secre- y the last. The of the at of nary nteen

**STOCKHOLM, December 6.**  
The report was of the 10th Novem-  
ber, and was dispatched from Brahestad by  
Vinkel. Your Majesty's army un-  
der command has since retreated to Py-  
ppari, where the Russians formi-  
ng an attack on our rear, turned the left  
flank, and advanced against Pie-  
ppari, to take the army in the rear, and  
compelled the army to fall back to Pat-  
er, and took, on the 17th, a position  
near Ruvolax and Parvola  
occupied by our troops, but in conse-  
quence of the enemy's corps having been re-  
duced to 20,000 men, furnished with 60  
pieces of heavy ordnance, and your majes-  
ty's army having been reduced to 7000 men,  
and losses in the field and sickness, it became  
impossible to maintain our position, and I  
thought it again advisable to open a nego-  
tiation for an armistice, the result of which  
is the convention which I hereby have  
the honor to lay at your Majesty's feet.  
**C. N. CLERCKER, General**  
*in chief of the northern Fin-  
ish army.*  
NORRBY, Nov. 24, 1808.

**CONVENTION**  
*Between the royal Swedish army in North  
Finland, and the imperial Russian army.*  
By virtue of the powers vested in us, we,  
the undersigned, have agreed and stipulat-  
ed the following articles:  
1. The royal Swedish army is, immedi-  
ately after the ratification of this convention,  
to take up a position along the frontiers of  
the district of Uleaborg, from Kemi to Por-  
tland. Kemi, in consequence, remains  
in the hands of the Russians.  
2. The Swedish army is to evacuate the  
town of Uleaborg within ten days next en-  
suing the date of this convention, and the  
Russian troops are to take possession of the  
said town on the 30th Nov. The other  
parts of the country, which are to be given  
up to the Russians, shall be evacuated,  
according to the agreement yet to be con-  
cluded between the two contracting par-  
ties.

3. The rear of the Swedish army shall  
retreat by the route agreed upon; and what-  
ever cannot be removed by the Swedish  
troops in their retreat, shall be considered  
as a good and lawful prize.  
4. The Swedish army binds itself neither  
to destroy, nor distribute among the inha-  
bitants, nor sell, the magazines which they  
shall be necessitated to surrender.  
5. The Swedish troops are not to take  
with them from Uleaborg, or other places  
to be surrendered, any civil officers, or any  
articles or goods belonging to the provin-  
ces.  
6. The Swedish army is to send back all  
clergy men, civil officers, and inhabitants of  
the places evacuated by their troops, pro-  
vided it be done by the desire, or with the  
consent of the said persons.  
7. This Convention shall be ratified by  
the respective generals in chief of both ar-  
mies, and the ratifications exchanged to-  
morrow night.  
Olkiocki, 7 (19) Nov. 1808.  
Baron ALDERCUITZ, Maj. Gen.  
Count KAMINSKI, Lieut. Gen.  
Ratified the 8 (20) Nov. 1808.  
Count BUXHOWDEN, General in  
Chief of the Imperial  
Russian army.

Proposed additional articles of the Con-  
vention concluded between the royal  
Swedish army, in North Finland, and  
the Imperial Russian army:—  
Art. 1. The armistice concluded be-  
tween the two armies is to continue for one  
month next ensuing the day on which the  
Swedish army crosses the frontiers of the  
district of Uleaborg, or until the 12th of  
January 1809, and notice of the cessation  
of the armistice shall be given at least 15  
days before hostilities are re-commenced.  
2. During the armistice, the imperial  
Russian troops are not to cross the river  
Kemi.  
**C. N. CLERCKER, General**  
of Infantry, and general in  
chief of the royal Swedish  
army in Finland.  
Head-Quarters, Limingo,  
November 20, 1809.

**GENERAL,**  
I have the honor to inform you that the  
convention, which was yesterday conclud-  
ed, has been ratified by his excellency gen-  
eral Buxen, in order that the exchange  
of the ratification may be effected to the  
armistice in question. I have his excellen-  
cy's command to acquaint you, that altho'  
he must decline the conclusion of a formal  
armistice, yet he engages his word of hon-  
or that he will not recommence hostile  
operations against the Swedish army before  
the expiration of 24 days after the Swedish  
army shall have taken up the position stipu-

lated in the above convention, in hopes that  
no operation will be commenced on your  
part, within the said time.

I have the honor, &c.  
Count KAMINSKI.  
Brahestad, Nov. 8, (20) 1808.

### Alexandria Daily Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15.

Brig Hopewell, from London to New York,  
is carried into Dieppe by the French privateer  
Rodeaux, of Bologne—four other American  
vessels have also been sent into French ports.

A correspondent in London has communi-  
cated the following interesting article:

"An armistice has been concluded between  
Sweden and Denmark, which is not to be  
broken by either party without 14 days no-  
tice."

"Field marshal count Klingspor, on his ar-  
rival from Finland, at Stockholm, dined by  
invitation with the king and royal family.—  
Under the napkin destined for the gallant and  
intrepid officer, was placed a wreath of laurel,  
with which the amiable princess decked his  
venerable brows. Highly gratified by this  
unexpected honor the count was about to re-  
move the fillet which bound his silvery locks,  
when his majesty with his wonted affability  
and condescension, expressed in pathetic  
terms the high sense he entertained of the  
marshal's distinguished services to his coun-  
try—and begged he would suffer the little ho-  
norary reward to remain during his visit."  
*London paper.*

*Extract of a letter from Leghorn, dated 15th  
November, 1808.*

"The following American vessels are at  
this place: schooner John, captain Hayton,  
of Baltimore; brig Violet, Merret of Bos-  
ton; ship Jersey, Williams, of New York,  
detained under the Milan decree; schooner  
Hope, Prady, of Philadelphia, vessel and  
cargo condemned; brig Alexander, Loughton,  
Norfolk; to be sold the twenty first to pay port  
charges; ship Aurora, Hall, of Portsmouth,  
received express permission from his Impe-  
rial Majesty to sail for the United States with  
distressed seamen."

*Corn Market, Mark Lane, (London) Dec.  
23*—Grain in general to day is in tolerable  
supply; but in consequence of the Thames'  
navigation not being quite clear, very few  
buyers attended, or sales effected—the wheat  
and oats that were sold, in price rather give  
way; and in other articles there is little vari-  
ation, but the prices are again considered al-  
most nominal.

*General currency as under:*

Wheat, 62s 7s 8s  
Fine do (new) 90s 92s  
Rye, 55s 60s  
Barley, 42s 47s  
Malt, 76s 84s  
White peas (boilers) 145s 155s  
Grey do 58s 62s  
Beans (old) 74s 80  
Tick do (old) 68s 75s  
Oats, 36s 40s 42s  
Potatoes 44s 55s  
Potatoes do 40s  
Rape seed, 48s to 52s  
Fine flour 80s 85s  
Seconds 75s 80s

*Texas Lands.*—By some gentlemen late-  
ly from the Muscle Shoals, we learn that  
the corrupt speculators of the Georgia west-  
ern lands known by the above name, are  
inveigling many honest men into their snares  
and those speculators in particular who own  
Coxe's pretended purchase. These last  
have made settlements (in violation of the  
laws of the United States) near the Muscle  
Shoals of about four hundred families, who  
have opened fields, built houses, and assum-  
ed the reigns of government in their own  
hands, appointed civil and military officers,  
and have now begun to sell some tracts of  
lands at four dollars per acre.

If any have adventured innocently we  
shall pity their fate, unless they return to  
their country, for we are confident it can  
be no great while before government will  
hear of this audacious act, and the almost  
certain consequence will be that the adven-  
turers will be ruined.

*(Nashville paper.)*

### CIRCULAR.

"Department of Treasury, March 3d, 1809.  
"I herewith transmit a printed copy of  
an act to interdict the commercial inter-  
course between the U. States and G. Bri-  
tain and France, and their dependencies  
and for other purposes.

"The provisions of the 1st and 2d sec-  
tions extend to public ships and vessels of  
France—the regulation in force in relation  
to public vessels of G. Britain.

"12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, and 16th sections  
take effect after the 15th day of this month,  
after which day vessels owned by citizens  
may be cleared for any foreign port or place,  
other than those excepted by the 12th sec-

tion, on giving bond in a sum double the va-  
lue of the vessel and cargo, and in other re-  
spects complying with the requisites of the  
2d section of the act of the 9th of Jan. last.  
It follows, that the provision in the last  
mentioned section, requiring bond in six  
times the value of the vessel and cargo is  
repealed from and after the 15th of this  
month.

The laws remain in full force in relation  
to vessels owned by foreigners, and in ad-  
dition thereto bond in four times the value  
of vessel and cargo must be required from  
such vessels, whether they sail in ballast,  
or with the cargo which they had brought  
in, that they shall not proceed to forbidden  
ports, &c. in the form prescribed in the 13th  
section—not even English vessels can after  
that day be cleared for the dominions of  
England, or French vessels for the domin-  
ions of France. Packets and other vessels  
exempted under the first section of the act,  
may, however, be permitted to proceed.—  
No foreign vessel whatever and wherever  
bound, can take any cargo on board.

The coasting trade is, by the 14th Sec.  
released from every impediment laid by the  
embargo laws, such provisions excepted,  
as are contained in the 15th section. All  
instructions, therefore, on that subject are  
revoked; and particularly those prohibi-  
ting re-shipments. Detentions are still  
however authorised in cases where there is  
sufficient cause to apprehend, that an eva-  
sion of the law is intended, and the provi-  
sions applicable to districts adjacent to for-  
eign territories remain in force. But you  
are authorised to grant permission to pro-  
ceed to N. Orleans, unless you have reason  
to believe that there is an intention to evade  
or violate the law, in which case you will  
refer the applicant to this department.

"Every country, nominally enjoying an  
independent form of government (other than  
Great Britain and France, and not in the  
actual possession of either, Great Britain  
or France) is open by the law, and particu-  
larly Holland, Spain, and Portugal, and  
their colonies. But you will suspend, until  
the question has been investigated—Grant-  
ing clearances for any part of the island of  
S. Domingo, or of the kingdom of Italy—  
Colonies conquered by and in the possession  
of Great Britain or France are prohibited."

"I am, respectfully, your obedient ser-  
vant."

(Signed) ALBERT GALLATIN.  
"The Collector of Customs of  
the District of Philadelphia."

**APPOINTMENTS.**  
*Made by the [present] President of the U.  
States, by and with the advice of the Se-  
nate.*

Francis Xavier Martin, of North-Car-  
olina, to fill the vacancy produced by the re-  
signation of Peter Bryan-Bruin, a judge of  
the Mississippi territory.

Obadiah Jones, of Georgia, Jesse B.  
Thomas, of Illinois territory, and Alexan-  
der Stuart, of Virginia, to be judges of the  
Illinois territory.

Thomas Nelson, collector and inspector  
of York, in Virginia, to be commissioner  
of loans for the state of Virginia.

### NAVY AGENTS.

Samuel Siorer, Portland, Maine.  
Henry S. Langdon, Portsmouth, New-  
Hampshire.

Francis Johnnot, Boston, Mas.  
Joseph Hull, Middletown, Connecticut.

John Bullus, New-York.  
George Harrison, Philadelphia.

John Stricker, Baltimore.  
Theodorick Armistead, Norfolk.

Nathaniel Ingraham and Son, Charles-  
ton, S. C.

James Morrison, Lexington, Ky.  
Keith Spence, New-Orleans.

Archibald S. Bullock, Savannah, Geor-  
gia.

Daniel Carmack, now a captain of ma-  
rines, to be major of marines.

James Thompson.  
Edward Hall, and  
Michael Reynolds, now first lieutenants  
of marines, to be captains of marines.

Samuel C. Miller, now a second lieuten-  
ant of marines, to be first lieutenant of  
marines.

Jasper Hand, of Pennsylvania, to be a  
surgeon in the navy of the U. States.

Samuel Blair, and  
Samuel Horseley, of Virginia, to be sur-  
geons mates in the navy of the U. States.

**MILITARY APPOINTMENTS.**  
*Made previous to the 4th of March last.*

**BRIGADIER GENERALS.**  
Wade Hampton.  
Peter Gansey, port.

**REGIMENT OF LIGHT ARTILLERY.**  
Lieutenant Colonel—vacant.  
Major—John Saunders.

**LIGHT DRAGOONS.**  
Colonel—Wade Hampton, (promoted as  
above.)

Lieutenant Colonel—Leonard Coving-  
ton.

Major—Electus Baccus.  
**RIFLEMEN.**

Colonel—Alexander Smith.  
Lt. Colonel—William Duane.

Major—John Fuller.  
**THIRD REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.**

Colonel—Edward Pasteur.  
Lt. Colonel—John Smathe.

Major—Homer V. Milton.  
**FOURTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.**

Colonel—John P. Bond.  
Lt. Colonel—John Whiting.

Major—James Miller.  
**FIFTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.**

Colonel—Alexander Parker.  
Lt. Colonel—William D. Beall.

Major—Tully Robinson.  
**SIXTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.**

Colonel—Joseph Simonds.  
Lt. Colonel—Joseph Constant.

Major—Zebulon M. Pike.  
**SEVENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.**

Colonel—William Russell.  
Lt. Colonel—Robert Purdy.

Major—Elijah Strong.  
(Subordinate appointments hereafter.)

**SONG.**  
*By the late William Cowper, Esq.*

WHEN all within is peace,  
How nature seems to smile,  
Delights that never cease,  
The ivy long day beguile.

From morn to dewy eve,  
With open hand she showers  
Fresh blessings to deceive,  
And sooth the silent hours.

It is content of heart  
Gives Nature power to please;  
The mind that feels no smart,  
Enlivens all it sees;

Can make a wintry sky  
Seem bright as smiling May,  
And evening's closing eye  
As peep of early day.

The vast majestic globe,  
So beautifully arrayed  
In Nature's various robe,  
With wondrous skill display'd,

Is to a mourner's heart,  
A dreary wild at best:  
It flutters to depart,  
And longs to be at rest.

**For Freight or Charter,**  
The well known Ship  
**HERO,**  
Thomas Cole, Master;

Three hundred hogsheds of 2000 b. each  
burthen, in complete order and ready to re-  
ceive a cargo. Apply to  
Thomas Cole.

March 15.

The next Dancing As-  
sembly will be held at Cain's  
Hotel, on t. Patrick's Day, the  
17th instant. This being the  
last Ball, non-subscribers will  
be admitted at 1/2 the Dollars  
each. A HACK, as usual, will  
be provided for the evening by  
Mr. Caton.

March 14. dt 17th

### NOTICE.

AT the next meeting of the Common Coun-  
cil, a Superintendent of the Watch will be  
appointed in place of Hugh B. resigned.—  
Applications for the said office to be left with  
the Clerk of Council previous to the fifteenth  
instant.

James M. McRea, C. C.  
March 13.

### SEINE CORK.

A small quantity of FINE SEINE CORK  
for sale by  
Wadsworth and Butler.

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**Rabbit-skins.**  
I wish to purchase a quantity of the best  
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John G. Ladd.  
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STOCKHOLM, December 6.

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and was dispatched from Brahestad by  
Vinkel. Your Majesty's army un-  
command and has since retreated to Py-  
and Yppar, where the Russians form-  
an attack on our rear, turned the left  
near Merjarvi, advanced against Pie-  
to take the army in the rear, and  
compelled the army to fall back to Pat-  
and took, on the 17th, a position  
Ravolax and Parvola  
by our troops, but in conse-  
of the enemy's corps having been re-  
20,000 men, furnished with 60  
of heavy ordnance, and your majes-  
army having been reduced to 7000 men,  
in the field and sickness, it became  
possible to maintain our position, and I  
thought it again advisable to open a nego-  
tiation for an armistice, the result of which  
the convention which I hereby have  
to lay at your Majesty's feet.

C. N. CLERCKER, General  
in chief of the northern Fin-  
ish army.  
Helsingfors, Nov. 24, 1808.

#### CONVENTION

between the royal Swedish army in North  
Finland, and the Imperial Russian army.  
By virtue of the powers vested in us, we,  
the undersigned, have agreed and stipulat-  
ed the following articles:

1. The royal Swedish army is, immedi-  
ately after the ratification of this convention,  
to retire up a position along the frontiers of  
the district of Uleaborg, from Kemi to Por-  
kari. Kemi, in consequence, remains  
in the hands of the Russians.

2. The Swedish army is to evacuate the  
district of Uleaborg within ten days next en-  
suing the date of this convention, and the  
Russian troops are to take possession of the  
said town on the 30th Nov. The other  
parts of the country, which are to be given  
up to the Russians, shall be evacuated,  
according to the agreement yet to be con-  
cluded between the two contracting parties.

3. The rear of the Swedish army shall  
retreat by the route agreed upon; and what-  
ever cannot be removed by the Swedish  
troops in their retreat, shall be considered  
as good and lawful prize.

4. The Swedish army binds itself neither  
to destroy, nor distribute among the inha-  
bitants, nor sell, the magazines which they  
shall be necessitated to surrender.

5. The Swedish troops are not to take  
with them from Uleaborg, or other places  
to be surrendered, any civil officers, or any  
articles or goods belonging to the provin-  
ces.

6. The Swedish army is to send back all  
clergymen, civil officers, and inhabitants of  
the places evacuated by their troops, pro-  
vided it be done by the desire, or with the  
consent of the said persons.

7. This Convention shall be ratified by  
the respective generals in chief of both ar-  
mies, and the ratifications exchanged to-  
morrow night.

Oljoki, 7 (19) Nov. 1808.  
Baron ALDERCUIZ, Maj. Gen.  
Count KAMINSKI, Lieut. Gen.

Ratified the 8 (20) Nov. 1808.  
Count BUXHOWDEN, General in  
Chief of the Imperial  
Russian army.

Proposed additional articles of the Con-  
vention concluded between the royal  
Swedish army, in North Finland, and  
the Imperial Russian army:—

Art. 1. The armistice concluded be-  
tween the two armies is to continue for one  
month next ensuing the day on which the  
Swedish army crosses the frontiers of the  
district of Uleaborg, or until the 12th of  
January 1809, and notice of the cessation  
of the armistice shall be given at least 15  
days before hostilities are re-commenced.

2. During the armistice, the Imperial  
Russian troops are not to cross the river

C. N. CLERCKER, General  
of Infantry, and general in  
chief of the royal Swedish  
army in Finland.  
Head-Quarters, Luviga,  
December 20, 1808.

GENERAL,  
I have the honor to inform you that the  
convention, which was yesterday conclud-  
ed, has been ratified by his excellency gen-  
eral Botschkin, in order that the exchange  
of the ratification may be effected to the  
armistice in question. I have his excellen-  
cy's command to acquaint you, that altho'  
he must decline the conclusion of a formal  
armistice, yet he engages his word of hon-  
or that he will not recommence hostile  
operations against the Swedish army before  
the expiration of 24 days after the Swedish  
army shall have taken up the position stipu-

lated in the above convention, in hopes that  
no operation will be commenced on your  
part, within the said time.

I have the honor, &c.  
Count KAMINSKI.  
Brahestad, Nov. 8, (20) 1808.

#### Alexandria Daily Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15.

Brig Hopewell, from London to New York,  
is carried into Dieppe by the French privateer  
Rodeaux, of Bologne—four other American  
vessels have also been sent into French ports.

A correspondent in London has communi-  
cated the following interesting article:

"An armistice has been concluded between  
Sweden and Denmark, which is not to be  
broken by either party without 14 days no-  
tice."

"Field marshal count Klingenspor, on his ar-  
rival from Finland, at Stockholm, dined by  
invitation with the king and royal family.—  
Under the napkin destined for the gallant and  
intrepid officer, was placed a wreath of laurel,  
with which the amiable princess decked his  
venerable brows. Highly gratified by this  
unexpected honor the count was about to re-  
move the fillet which bound his 'silvery locks,'  
when his majesty with his wonted affability  
and condescension, expressed in pathetic  
terms the high sense he entertained of the  
marshal's distinguished services to his coun-  
try—and begged he would suffer the little ho-  
norary reward to remain during his visit."

London paper.

Extract of a letter from Leghorn, dated 15th  
November, 1808.

"The following American vessels are at  
this place: schooner John, captain Hayton,  
of Baltimore; brig Violet, Merret of Bos-  
ton; ship Jersey, Williams, of New York,  
detained under the Milan decree; schooner  
Hope, Prady, of Philadelphia; vessel and  
cargo condemned; brig Alexander, Loughton,  
Norfolk; to be sold the twenty first to pay port  
charges; ship Aarora, Hall, of Portsmouth,  
received express permission from his Imper-  
ial Majesty to sail for the United States with  
distressed seamen."

Corn Market, Mark Lane, (London) Dec.  
28.—Grain in general to day is in tolerable  
supply; but in consequence of the Thames'  
navigation not being quite clear, very few  
buyers attended, or sales effected—the wheat  
and oats that were sold, in price rather give  
way; and in other articles there is little vari-  
ation, but the prices are again considered al-  
most nominal.

General currency as under:  
Wheat, 62s 75s 85s  
Fine do. (new) 90s 92s  
Rye, 55s 60s  
Barley, 42s 47s  
Malt, 75s 84s  
White peas (boilers) 145s 155s  
Grey do 58s 62s  
Beans (old) 74s 80  
Tuck do (old) 68s 75s  
Oats, 36s 40s 42s  
Potatoes do. 44s 55s  
Potatoes do. to 40s  
Rape seed, 48/ to 52/  
Fine flour 80s 85s  
Seconds 75s 80s

Texas Lands.—By some gentlemen late-  
ly from the Muscle Shoals, we learn that  
the corrupt speculators of the Georgia wes-  
tern lands known by the above name, are  
inveigling many honest men into their snares  
and those speculators in particular who own  
Coxe's pretended purchase. These last  
have made settlements (in violation of the  
laws of the United States) near the Muscle  
Shoals of about four hundred families, who  
have opened fields, built houses, and assum-  
ed the rights of government in their own  
hands, appointed civil and military officers,  
and have now begun to sell some tracts of  
lands at four dollars per acre.

If any have adventured innocently we  
shall pity their fate, unless they return to  
their country, for we are confident it can  
be no great while before government will  
hear of this audacious act, and the almost  
certain consequence will be that the adven-  
turers will be ruined.

(Nashville paper.)

#### CIRCULAR.

"Department of Treasury, March 3d, 1809.  
"I herewith transmit a printed copy of  
an act to interdict the commercial inter-  
course between the U. States and G. Bri-  
tain and France, and their dependencies  
and for other purposes.

"The provisions of the 1st and 2d sec-  
tions extend to public ships and vessels of  
France—the regulation in force in relation  
to public vessels of G. Britain.

"12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, and 16th sections  
take effect after the 15th day of this month,  
after which day vessels owned by citizens  
may be cleared for any foreign port or place,  
other than those excepted by the 12th sec-

tion, on giving bond in a sum double the va-  
lue of the vessel and cargo, and in other re-  
spects complying with the requisites of the  
2d section of the act of the 9th of Jan. last.  
It follows, that the provision in the last  
mentioned section, requiring bond in six  
times the value of the vessel and cargo is  
repealed from and after the 15th of this  
month.

The laws remain in full force in relation  
to vessels owned by foreigners, and in ad-  
dition thereto bond in four times the value  
of vessel and cargo must be required from  
such vessels, whether they sail in ballast,  
or with the cargo which they had brought  
in, that they shall not proceed to forbidden  
ports, &c. in the form prescribed in the 13th  
section—not even English vessels can after  
that day be cleared for the dominions of  
England, or French vessels for the domin-  
ions of France. Packets and other vessels  
exempted under the first section of the act,  
may, however, be permitted to proceed—  
No foreign vessel whatever and wherever  
bound, can take any cargo on board.

"The coasting trade is, by the 14th Sec.  
released from every impediment laid by the  
embargo laws, such provisions excepted,  
as are contained in the 15th section. All  
instructions, therefore, on that subject are  
revoked; and particularly those prohibi-  
ting re-shippments. Detentions are still  
however authorised in cases where there is  
sufficient cause to apprehend, that an eva-  
sion of the law is intended, and the provi-  
sions applicable to districts adjacent to for-  
eign territories remain in force. But you  
are authorised to grant permission to pro-  
ceed to N. Orleans, unless you have reason  
to believe that there is an intention to evade  
or violate the law, in which case you will  
refer the applicant to this department.

"Every country, nominally enjoying an  
independent form of government (other than  
Great Britain and France, and not in the  
actual possession of either, Great Britain  
or France) is open by the law, and particu-  
larly Holland, Spain, and Portugal, and  
their colonies. But you will suspend, until  
the question has been investigated—Grant-  
ing clearances for any part of the island of  
St. Domingo, or of the kingdom of Italy—  
Colonies conquered by and in the possession  
of Great Britain or France are prohibited."

"I am, respectfully, your obedient ser-  
vant.

(Signed)  
ALBERT GALLATIN.  
"The Collector of Customs of  
the District of Philadelphia."

APPOINTMENTS,  
Made by the [present] President of the U.  
States, by and with the advice of the Se-  
nate.

Francis Xavier Martin, of North-Carol-  
ina, to fill the vacancy produced by the re-  
signation of Peter Bryan Bruin, a judge of  
the Mississippi territory.

Obadiah Jones, of Georgia, Jesse B.  
Thomas, of Illinois territory, and Alexan-  
der Stuart, of Virginia, to be judges of the  
Illinois territory.

Thomas Nelson, collector and inspector  
of York, in Virginia, to be commissioner  
of loans for the state of Virginia.

#### NAVY AGENTS.

Samuel Sizer, Portland, Maine.  
Henry S. Langdon, Portsmouth, New-  
Hampshire.

Francis Johnnot, Boston, Mas.  
Joseph Hull, Middletown, Connecticut.

John Bullas, New-York.  
George Harrison, Philadelphia.

John Stricker, Baltimore.  
Theodorick Armistead, Norfolk.

Nathaniel Ingraham and Son, Charles-  
ton, S. C.

James Morrison, Lexington, Ky.  
Keith Spence, New-Orleans.

Archibald S. Bullock, Savannah, Geor-  
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Daniel Carmack, now a captain of ma-  
rines, to be major of marines.

James Thompson.  
Edward Hall, and  
Michael Reynolds, now first lieutenants  
of marines, to be captains of marines.

Samuel C. Miller, now a second lieuten-  
ant of marines, to be first lieutenant of  
marines.

Jasper Hand, of Pennsylvania, to be a  
surgeon in the navy of the U. States.

Samuel Blair, and  
Samuel Horseley, of Virginia, to be sur-  
geons mates in the navy of the U. States.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS,  
Made previous to the 4th of March last.

BRIGADIER GENERALS.  
Wade Hampton.  
Peter Gansvoort.

REGIMENT OF LIGHT ARTILLERY.  
Lieutenant Colonel—vacant.  
Major—John Saunders.

LIGHT DRAGOONS.  
Colonel—Wade Hampton, (promoted as  
above.)

Lieutenant Colonel—Leonard Coving-  
ton.

Major—Electus Baccus.

RIFLEMEN.

Colonel—Alexander Smith.

Lt. Colonel—William Duane.

Major—John Fuller.

THIRD REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Colonel—Edward Pasteur.

Lt. Colonel—John Smahe.

Major—Homer V. Milton.

FOURTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Colonel—John P. Bond.

Lt. Colonel—John Whiting.

Major—James Miller.

FIFTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Colonel—Alexander Parker.

Lt. Colonel—William D. Beall.

Major—Tully Robinson.

SIXTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Colonel—Joseph Simonds.

Lt. Colonel—Joseph Constant.

Major—Zebulon M. Pike.

SEVENTH REGIMENT OF INFANTRY.

Colonel—William Russell.

Lt. Colonel—Robert Purdy.

Major—Elijah Strong.

(Subordinate appointments hereafter.)

#### SONG.

By the late William Cowper, Esq.

WHEN all within is peace,  
How nature seems to smile,  
Delights that never cease,  
The livelong day beguile.

From morn to dewy eve,  
With open hand she showers  
Fresh blessings to deceive,  
And sooth the silent hours.

It is content of heart  
Gives Nature power to please;  
The mind that feels no smart,  
Enlivens all it sees;

Can make a wintry sky  
Seem bright as smiling May,  
And evening's closing eye  
As peep of early day.

The vast majestic globe,  
So beautifully arrayed  
In Nature's various robe  
With wondrous skill display'd.

Is to a mourner's heart,  
A dreary wild at best:  
It flutters to depart,  
And longs to be at rest.

#### For Freight or Charter,

The well known Ship

HERO,

Thomas Cole, Master;

Three hundred hogheads of 2400 lbs. each  
burthen, in complete order and ready to re-  
ceive a cargo. Apply to

Thomas Cole.

March 15.

The next Dancing As-  
sembly will be held at Cannon's  
Hotel, on t. Patrick's Day, the  
17th instant. This being the  
last Ball, non-subscribers will  
be admitted at three dollars  
each. A Hack, as usual, will  
be provided for the evening by  
Mr. Caton.

March 14. at 17th

#### NOTICE.

AT the next meeting of the Common Coun-  
cil, a Superintendent of the Watch will be  
appointed in place of Hugh Barry resigned—  
Applications for the said office to be left with  
the Clerk of Council previous to the fifteenth  
instant.

James M. McRea, C. C.

March 13.

#### SEINE CORK.

A small quantity of FINE SEINE CORK  
for sale by

Wadsworth and Butler.

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#### Rabbit-skins.

I wish to purchase a quantity of the best  
Rabbit-Skins in fur.

John G. Ladd.

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## George-Town and Alexandria Turnpike Road.

THE Commissioners appointed under the act of Congress "Authorising the making of a Turnpike Road from Mason's Causeway to Alexandria," hereby give notice, that Books for receiving subscriptions will be opened on Wednesday the 29th instant, at the Union Tavern, in Georgetown, at William O'Neal's, near the West market, in the City of Washington, and at Caton's tavern, in Alexandria, and kept open from 10 o'clock, at noon until 4 o'clock, P. M.

John Mason,  
David Wiley,  
Henry Foxall,  
John Cox,  
John W. Bronaugh.

Georgetown, (Ga.) March 11. 2aw29th.  
The act of Congress authorises the subscription of two hundred shares, and requires the payment of Ten Dollars on each, at the time of subscription—the residue to be paid in instalments.

Those who would subscribe by an agent must use the following form.

I do hereby authorise and empower to subscribe for me in my name shares of Georgetown and Alexandria Turnpike Stock, under the act of Congress "authorising the making of a turnpike road from Mason's causeway to Alexandria."

### NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers, under the firm of *Anderson, Nutt and Co.* was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of this month.

All persons indebted to the said firm are requested to make immediate payment to Anderson and Nutt, who are fully authorised to settle the accounts of said firm.

James Anderson,  
James Nutt,  
Mark Butts.

March 13. 2aw29th.  
N. B. The business will in future be conducted at the same place by  
Anderson & Nutt.

### PUBLIC SALE.

On SATURDAY, the 8th day of April, the subscriber will offer at public sale, at the Coffee house, in Alexandria—

LOTS No. 2 and 4, of that part of the Abington estate lately the property of *Robert Alexander*.—These Lots are advantageously situated on the new turnpike road and the Potomac, about four miles from Alexandria, and nearly opposite to the city of Washington. They contain rather more than 145 acres. A credit of 90 and 120 days will be allowed on the purchaser's giving good endorsed negotiable notes.

R. I. Taylor, Ex'r.  
Of JOHN WATTS.

March 13. 2aw29th.

### BAKING.

THE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has commenced the BAKING BUSINESS at the stand formerly occupied by Mr. David Henderson, on Royal street, nearly opposite to Mr. N. Call's nail factory, where he will keep a constant supply of BREAD and CAKES. He solicits a candid experiment of the public, and asks only for such share of patronage as his knowledge and attention shall entitle him to.

Regular customers may depend on being punctually supplied at their houses.

All favors will be thankfully received by  
Nicholas Young.

March 11. 2aw29th.

### Charitable Marine Society Lottery.

Twenty second days drawing the wheel gained \$ 1,086  
Former gain, 21,144

Total \$ 22,230

A few Tickets for sale at 12 dollars.  
Tickets in the Black River Lottery which begins drawing in April next given in exchange for prizes in the Charitable Marine Lottery.

Present price of Black River Tickets 9 dollars.

Robert Gray.

Feb. 27.

### NOTICE.

THE Directors of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike Company, have appointed Mr. PATRICK BYRNES, receiver of tolls at the bridge at Four Mile Creek, and he will commence his duty to-morrow morning.

March 2.

## Dissolution of Partnership.

THE partnership of *Duckett & Claggett* being dissolved this day, by mutual consent, all those indebted to said firm are requested to make payment to Jacob Duckett, and those having claims against the concern will render them for settlement.

JACOB DUCKETT.  
HANNIBAL CLAGGETT.

The business will be continued by

JACOB DUCKETT.

March 7. 2aw29th.

### A NEW WORK.

For Sale at ROBERT GRAY'S Book-Store, King-street Alexandria.

The private life of WASHINGTON, With a great number of original anecdotes, Dr. M. L. WEEMS.

Cicero's Rector of Mount Vernon Parish, and, for fifteen years, the intimate of the grey-haired veterans of the last century, who were the neighbors and companions of Washington.

Criticism by Judge Brackenridge, dated CARLEISLE, Jan. 19th, 1809.

Dear Sir,

I have read and read again your publication, the life of Washington; and you will not understand me as acknowledging it to be without defects, when I take notice only of its excellencies. These indeed are very great. You have combined, with great felicity, the useful and the pleasant: historical information and amusing anecdote. You have drawn from both urns, of tears and mirth. With a sudden transition we have the pathetic and the comic, and both irresistible. Your style is always perspicuous, and occasionally noble; in flights of imagery and richness of expression, rising to the sublime. But the great richness of your book is, the morality of the sentiment. I do not know a better to be put into the hands of young persons to raise the mind to political and moral virtue. It ought to be introduced into all schools; and to be in every family. With regard to biographical merit, the delineation is such as to give a view of character, not on a parade-day, but as independent of command or station. This is the painting which interests. It is that alone which makes a likeness; for a mere outline, wanting the expression, gives no physiognomy.

I am, with much esteem, your's,  
H. H. BRACKENRIDGE.

Liberal allowance to school-masters and country merchants.

### A NEW WORK.

#### THE DROWN'D WIFE.

A faithful history of the beautiful Miss *Poole*, by *Middleton*, who after bestowing herself, with a fortune of 4000 dollars on a young husband, Mr. Edward Finley, was drowned by him in the eighth week after marriage. With a number of very interesting incidents, and a fine likeness of that unfortunate Lady.

By M. L. WEEMS.

Who was on the spot where Mr. Finley was executed, at Edgfield Court-house, South Carolina, April 27, 1804.

Upwards of 2000 copies of this extraordinary pamphlet were printed in Philadelphia in 18 weeks.

The 5th edition—Price 25 cents.  
Liberal allowance made to School-masters and country merchants.

Criticism on this work by that celebrated American Historian, Dr. David Ramsay, S. C. dated, Charleston, May 16, 1807.

"No man can read this pamphlet, without having his risible faculties often excited—no man can read it without having both his horror of vice and respect for virtue increased. The writer has the art of blending instruction with amusement. While he keeps his readers in high good humour by the frolicsomeness of his manner, he is inculcating upon them important moral and religious truths, conducive to their present and future happiness."

DAVID RAMSAY.

### FISH.

I WILL contract for the delivery of any quantity of HERRINGS during the ensuing season, not exceeding 2 000,000, at my fishery six miles below Alexandria, for six shillings per thousand.—Bacon and all kinds of country produce will be taken in payment at the Alexandria prices.—In large purchases a credit will be given to suit the times.

William H. Foote.

February 28.

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### ENTERTAINMENT.

RANDOLPH MOTT,

Late of the Washington Tavern, Alexandria, IS prepared to entertain travellers and others in a genteel manner, at the WHITE HOUSE, opposite the second turnpike gate, seven miles from Alexandria, on the road to Fairfax Court House—and flatters himself his attention to the wishes and convenience of his customers will ensure him a portion of public patronage.

Good pasturage and grain of every description will be furnished for stock.

January 10.

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## Metallic Pen Manufactory.

P. WILLIAMSON'S

Celebrated Elastic Three Silt Metallic

### PEN,

WHICH has been pronounced, by many of the most eminent penmen, to be far superior to any metallic pen that has ever been made heretofore, either in Europe or America. It is well known, that all the pens upon the former principle have been wanting in that pliability which is so necessary in order to write with smoothness and rapidity, which in this is happily effected by the two additional side slits. To be had of Samuel Jeffries (agent for the proprietor) No. 212, Market-street, nearly opposite the Indian Queen-tavern, by the gross or single one, the

Particular large hand Pens.

Do. fine do. do.

N. B. Old cases renewed with new Pens.

Copy of a note, and extract of a letter from the President.

WASHINGTON, 26th Jan. 1808.

"Th: Jefferson presents his compliments to P. Williamson, and his thanks for the very fine steel Pen he has been so kind as to send him. It is certainly superior to any metallic pen he has ever seen, and will save a great deal of trouble and time employed in mending the quill pen."

"Washington, 22d March, 1808.

"The four Callender Pens arrived safely. I find them to answer perfectly and now indeed use no other kind."

St. Mary's College,

BALTIMORE, Jan. 1, 1808.

Mr. P. Williamson,

SIR,

I cheerfully comply with your request to state my opinion of your Patent Steel Pens. I have always considered them as eminently entitled to public attention and encouragement.

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